

# Federal Acquisition Service

Strategic Sourcing – An Overview

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# **Agenda**

- **≻What is it**
- **►What's driving it**
- **Examples**
- **Future**



# What is Strategic Sourcing?

- Aggregate requirements
- Leaverage buying power
- Simplify acquisition process
- Capture data

### **Types of Strategic Sourcing**

- Agency Level
  - DHS
  - Air Force
  - VA
- Governmentwide –Federal Strategic Sourcing Initiative
  - http://strategicsourcing.gov/gsa/about-fssi

# **Examples**

- > FSSI Office Supplies
- > FSSI Print Management

# **FSSI Office Supplies goals**

- Achieve savings
- Capture data
- Enable achievement of socio-economic goals
- Drive compliance with mandates, acts and orders (GREEN!)
- Conform to Agency business practices
- Be easy to use



# **Future of Strategic**

More Government-wide and agency specific



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